For further conditions please see detailed notification dated the 11th April 1927, published on pages 286-287, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th April 1927.

Month.	*Date of Sale.*
April 1928	25th April 1928 Wednesday.
May 1928	6th May 1928, Sunday.
Do	20th do Sunday
June 1928	10th June 1928, Sunday.
Do .. .	24th do Sunday.

M. A. VARADACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 14th April 1928.

The right of cutting and removing fire-wood in the undermentioned State Forest of Kolar District will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kolar, as per particulars given below :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of working Circle	No. of Coupes	Area in Acres	Probable quantity available	Place of sale	Date of sale
Bagepalli ...	Narasimhadevarabetta Forest Block V	...	...	150	This will be announced at the time of sale.	Bagepalli.	7th May 1928.

2. Each coupe will be sold separately. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, or the District Forest Officer, as the case may be.

3. The officer holding the sale reserves to himself the right to reject any or all the bids without assigning any reason therefor.

4. Each bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 200 as earnest money before he is permitted to bid which will be returned to him at the close of the sale if his bid be not accepted. Soon after the sale is over, the successful bidder shall pay such amount as will, together with the earnest money paid by him, make up one-fourth the sale amount if the sale amount exceeds Rs. 200 or the whole of the sale amount in other cases, plus the whole of local, railway and education cesses at Re.0-1-0, Re.0-0-3, and Re.0-0-6 respectively, on each rupee of the entire sale amount.

5. Within a week of the receipt of the notice confirming the sale, the purchaser shall credit the balance of the sale amount at the nearest Taluk Treasury and shall execute an agreement binding himself to observe the conditions that will be read out at the time of sale. As soon as the agreement is executed permission will be given to the Contractor to exploit the coupes and he must start the work within a week thereafter duly furnishing the Range Officer concerned and the District Forest Officer, Kolar District, with a list of agents and coolies. He must deposit Rs. 100 or one-fourth of the sale amount, whichever is less, as security deposit for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the agreement which will be forfeited in part or whole for the breach of all or any of the conditions.

6. If he fails to make payments or to execute the agreement as mentioned above, he shall forfeit his deposit and any other amount that he might have paid up to the date of his default and forego his claim to the lease which will be re-sold at his risk but without his participating in any profit that may accrue. All arrears that become due from the defaulter will be recovered as arrears of Land Revenue under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

7. The period for felling and removal will be intimated at the time of sale. Fuel and poles cut must all be collected at places prescribed by Range Officers in or near each coupe and must be removed after inspection by the Range Officer. Each cart-load of produce under removal from the State Forest shall be covered by a pass granted by a Forest Official appointed for the purpose. The said cart-loads and passes shall be presented for examination at such place or places as may be assigned by the District Forest Officer.

8. Reserved trees marked and numbered as standards, seedlings and saplings under one foot in girth and trees and shrubs yielding minor forest products, shall not be cut or injured by the purchaser or his employees and due care should be taken to protect sandal trees. For such cutting or injury the contractor is liable to pay damage at Rs. 10 per tree

9. The trees must be felled and coppiced in one operation in such a way that the top of the bark of stumps touches the ground and will not be separated from the wood of the stumps and will not be jammed or split, and the top of the stump should not exceed 6" in height above ground.

10. No produce shall be carted from or through any portion of the State Forest after sunset or before sunrise nor through such areas as will be specially prohibited by the Range Officer, or the District Forest Officer.

11. Neither the purchaser nor his employees shall convey or kindle any fire within 200 yards of the State Forest. The purchaser or his agents or coolies must help the department in extinguishing accidental fires inside the State Forest.

12. In all cases of complaints preferred by the purchaser, the decision of the Conservator of Forests in Mysore, shall be final.

13. The purchaser shall make his own arrangements for watch and ward of his produce and the department is not responsible for it.

N.B.—The sale will commence at 1 P.M. on the dates of sale.

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Notification dated 14th April 1928.

As the purchaser of standing timber in the Hirikalgudda Forest has not remitted the balance amount within the prescribed time, a resale will be held on 23rd April 1928 at the Taluk Office. Any loss to the Department will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue and also from money deposited in other forest Divisions.

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification regarding the auction sale of timber in the Shimoga Depot on the 18th April 1928, published on pages 335 and 336, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 5th April 1928.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 9th April 1928.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the Saw Mill Depot, by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, on the 30th April 1928.

Serial No.	Name of depot	Date of sale	Kind of timber	Quantity of timber	Remarks	Hours of sale
1	Saw Mill Depot	30th April 1928	Teak Rafters and planks ...	50 C.ft.	More or less	8 A.M. to 11 A.M. and 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.
			Beete Rafters... ...	450 ,,		
			Honne do	100 ,,		
			Matti do	800 ,,		
			Nandi do	1,000 ,,		
			Yathiga planks ...	500 ,,		
			Other kinds	1,500 ,,		
			Teak reepers	1,000 R.ft.		
			Teak spokes	2,000 ,,		
			Other kinds	2,000 ,,		
			Teak felloes	400 ,,		

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.